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**MEDICINAL.**  
**THE YOUNG MOTHER**  
Aches, pains, and other first child as she grows, mother reads these stories, tells them to her child, or joins with them in a happy game at bed time. Does she give her child a good night's sleep because she loves him? No. She gives them less because she has less to give. The birth of each child has left her a little more weak, a little more nervous, a little more worn out. She hasn't strength to be their intimate and playful mother. What a loss this means to mother and to children. It is to such mothers that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is so valuable. It restores the system to a normal condition of health and elasticity. Urterations are removed. Sleep is refreshing. Appetite grows good. There is a new brightness in the eye, a new lightness in the step. There has come the perfect happiness of perfect health.

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MANUFACTURERS OF  
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2 TIERCES Cox & Gordon Missouri Bams, very fine quality, just received by J. C. MILBURN.  
NEW STOCK CROMARTY BLOATES very fine, at J. C. MILBURN'S.

**ANECDOTES OF VANDERBILT.**  
It often has been said that Cornelius Vanderbilt was the "best of the Vanderbilts." By that was meant that he was the hardest worker, the most generous-hearted, the most public spirited and the most lovable of the numerous and enormously rich family which bears that name.

One day he told his mother he was going to New York to look for a place. He went first to the Shoe and Leather Bank. He asked the porter if he could see the president. The porter pointed him out. The young lad watched the head of the big bank as he went to his private office, and, following respectfully, told him he was looking for something.

His only recommendation was a note from his teacher. The bank president read the letter and asked the boy if he was related to Commodore Vanderbilt. "He is my grandfather," said the boy.

"Why didn't you get him to introduce you?"  
"Because I didn't want to ask him for anything," was the reply.

Perhaps it was his independence, perhaps his neat, comely and, withal, earnest appearance, that weighed in his favor, but he was employed. He started at the lowest rung of the ladder, as messenger. And here it was he began to show the qualities that made the man he afterward became. He was punctual, prompt, clean-cut, discreet, and as hard a little worker as they had in the bank.

One day the president of the bank happened to be in the office of old Commodore Vanderbilt and mentioned to the Commodore that he had a Vanderbilt in the bank. The old man was astonished and soon sent for the young man. He asked him why he had not applied to his grandfather if he wanted a job. The young man looked straight into the eyes of the old one and replied:

"I made up my mind that I would never ask you for anything."  
There was something about that answer that pleased the Commodore, and it is said that this influenced him to add the codicil to his will providing that an extra \$1,000,000 go to the grandson of whose independent, self-reliant life he had had so complete a proof.

It was while he was employed in the bank that his grandfather was first attracted to this one of his grandchildren, who had succeeded fairly well in escaping his notice. One day, when he was still employed in the bank, his grandfather stopped in to see him and proposed a trip to Europe. This astonished the young man, whose life had hitherto been confined strictly to business.

"I am going myself," said the Commodore, "and I'll take you along if you want to go."  
"And give up my salary?" said the young man.

"Well, I don't suppose it will go on while you are gone," replied the Commodore, grimly.

"Then I guess I'd better stay," said the boy.

Up to a few years ago he was frequently to be seen sitting at a stool in the Astor House rotunda, taking a frugal luncheon of soup. This he consumed quickly and went back to his work. He dined at home at 7:30 o'clock, not always in evening dress.

He collected for himself a splendid gallery of paintings by the best modern artists. He built an addition to St. Bartholomew's parish house.

He, J. Pierpont Morgan and others established \$5 free scholarships at Columbia, of which he was a trustee. He served as chairman of the railroad branch of the Y. M. C. A., and identified himself with the best interests of his employees.

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How is this?  
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No matter what the cause, you cannot wish to look old at thirty.  
Gray hair is starved hair. The hair bulbs have been deprived of proper food or proper nerve force.

**Ayer's Hair Vigor**  
Increases the circulation in the scalp, gives more power to the nerves, supplies missing elements to the hair bulbs.

Used according to directions, gray hair begins to show color in a few days. Soon it has all the softness and richness of youth and the color of early life returns. Would you like our book on the Hair? We will gladly send it to you.

**Write us!**  
If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the Vigor, write the doctor about it. He may be able to suggest something of value to you. Address, Dr. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use, and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' Drug Store. Only 50 cents and \$1.00, every bottle guaranteed.

**Chronic Diarrhoea Cures.**  
This is to certify that I have had chronic diarrhoea every since the war I got so weak I could hardly walk or do anything. One bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured me sound and well.  
J. R. GIBBS, Fincastle, Va.

I had chronic diarrhoea for twelve years. Three bottles of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured me.  
S. L. SHAVER, Fincastle, Va.

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"DeWitt's Little Early Bileo" permanently cures chronic constipation, biliousness, nervousness and worn-out feeling; cleanses and regulates the entire system. Small, pleasant, never grips or sickens—"amazing little pills." Edgar Warfield, Jr., corner King and Pitt streets.

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There's always hope while there's One Minute Cough Cure. "An attack of pneumonia left my lungs in a bad shape and I was near the first stages of consumption. One Minute Cough Cure completely cured me," writes Helen McHenry, Bismarck, N. D. Gives instant relief. Edgar Warfield, Jr., corner King and Pitt streets.

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Let us examine your eyes  
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We furnish Spectacles and Eyeglasses of all Kinds  
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Is the name of the newest open stock English Dinner Ware in the market. It is the hand-painted pattern we have ever seen from England. It is sold  
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GIVE IMMEDIATE RELIEF AND RAPID CURE.  
DIRECTIONS.—Two capsules at night preceding a chill. Two next morning and one about the time the chill is due. Repeat before another attack if necessary. Children half the dose.  
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**AUCTION SALES.**  
By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.  
**TRUSTEE'S SALE.**  
By virtue of a deed of trust, dated April 2, 1887, and recorded in deed book No. 18, folio 301, of the land records of Alexandria city, Va., the undersigned will at 12 o'clock m. on  
SATURDAY,  
the 16th day of September, 1899,  
in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Va., offer for sale at public auction, for cash, the following real estate, situated in said city:  
First: All those FOUR FRAME DWELLING HOUSES and LOTS OF GROUND, numbered 500, 502, 504 and 506, south Patrick street, described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the east side of Patrick street with the south side of Wilkes street, and running thence south on Patrick street 61 feet 3 inches; thence east parallel to Wilkes street 86 feet to a ten-foot alley; thence north parallel to Patrick street 61 feet 3 inches to Wilkes street; and thence west on Wilkes street 86 feet to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.  
Second: All those FOUR FRAME DWELLING HOUSES and LOTS OF GROUND numbered 516, 518, 520 and 522 south Patrick street, described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Patrick street 120 feet, more or less, south of Wilkes street; thence south on Patrick street 56 feet 7 inches, more or less, to the centre of the square; thence east parallel to Wilkes street 86 feet to an alley 10 feet wide; thence north parallel to Patrick street 56 feet 7 inches, more or less, and then west 86 feet to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.  
Third: All those THREE FRAME DWELLING HOUSES and LOTS OF GROUND numbered 908, 910 and 912 Wilkes street, described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Wilkes street at the east line of a ten-foot alley 96 feet, more or less, east of Patrick street; thence east on Wilkes street 27 feet 5 inches to the centre of the square; thence south parallel to Patrick street 176 feet 7 inches; thence west parallel to Wilkes street 27 feet 5 inches to ten-foot alley; and then north 176 feet 7 inches to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.  
All of the above houses are occupied and well and in good paying investment.  
All conveying at the cost of purchaser.  
JAMES E. CATON, Trustee.  
Any reliable purchaser at the sale can secure a loan at 6 per cent, for two years for 50 per cent of the selling price of said property to be secured by deed of trust to the undersigned.  
JAMES E. CATON, Trustee.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE.**  
By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.  
By virtue of a deed of trust, dated June 1, 1899, and recorded in deed book No. 21, folio 569, of the land records of Alexandria city, Virginia, the undersigned will, at 12 o'clock m. on  
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in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Va., offer for sale at public auction, for cash, the following real estate, situated in said city:  
ALL THOSE TWO FRAME DWELLING HOUSES and LOTS OF GROUND numbered 526 and 528 south Patrick street, described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Patrick street 16 feet south of the center of the square, between Wilkes and Gibbon streets; and at Martha Wilson's south line; thence south on Patrick street 37 feet 4 inches, more or less, to the line of the lot formerly owned by R. F. Bruner; thence east with said line parallel to Gibbon street 79 feet to the north parallel to Patrick street 37 feet 4 inches, and thence west 79 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances to the same belonging.  
This property is well rented and is a good paying investment. All conveying at cost of purchaser.  
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